Livestock: Record Highs and Lows

	Date Series Began	Unit	Record	Quantity	Year 1/
Cattle:					
Inventory - January 1	1867	1,000 Head	High Low	1,750 200	1918 1867
Calves born	1924	1,000 Head	High Low	484 244	1924 1929
Beef cows - January 1	1920	1,000 Head	High Low	819 170	1920 2003
Milk cows - January 1	1870	1,000 Head	High Low	190 1	2009 1876
Cattle on feed - January 1	1930	1,000 Head	High Low	655 23	1973 1930
Hogs:					
Inventory - December 1	1869	1,000 Head	High Low	180 1	1980 1870
Sheep:					
Inventory - January 1	1867	1,000 Head	High Low	1,420 12	1917 1867
Lamb crop	1924	1,000 Head	High Low	645 33	1926 2003
Wool production	1909	1,000 Pounds	High Low	8,000 490	1917 2002
Weight per fleece	1909	Pounds	High Low	7.6 5.8	1971 2002
Mohair	1909 2/	1,000 Pounds	High Low	960 80	1931 2009
Milk:					
Milk production	1924	Million Pounds	High Low	4,349 157	2008 1925
Milk production	1924	Pounds per cow	High Low	23,382 4,640	2008 1932

^{1/} The latest year a record was achieved. Some records were equaled in earlier years.2/ Estimates were discontinued in 1971 and resumed in 1988.